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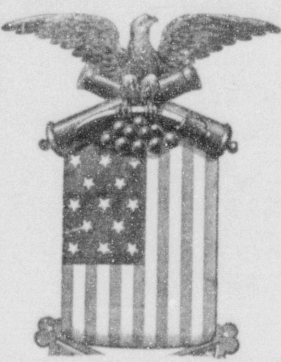
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CROWDS ARE COMING

FAREWELL BARBECUE WILL BE
HOLIDAY ALL OVER COUNTY.

GREAT PATRIOTIC EVENT

The Schools in Many Towns Will
Close in Honor of Boys Who Go
To Join the Colors.

Only one more day until "All
aboard for the barbecue." The finish-
ing touches are being added today and
tomorrow, and prospects are better
than ever for the largest crowd on
Wednesday in the history of Nodaway
county.

The services of Rabbi Louis Bern-
stein of Temple Adath Joseph, in St.
Joseph, have been secured as speaker
on the day of farewell to the boys and
men drafted into Uncle Sam's service.
Rabbi Bernstein is known throughout
this part of the country as an able and
entertaining speaker, and his talk
Wednesday afternoon may well be
looked forward to by all. In talking
from St. Joseph this morning to the
Commercial club, Rabbi Bernstein ex-
pressed himself much pleased at be-
ing able to take part in the farewell
program.

The Maryville band will give an at-
tractive concert in the court house
yard beginning at 10 o'clock on Wed-
nesday morning, and bands from sur-
rounding towns, as they arrive, will
join in this. The guests of honor of
the day, and the Spanish - American
and Civil War veterans, are asked to

Farewell Dance
For the Boys Who
Have To Go.
Tuesday Night, Sept. 18
W. O. W. Hall
Mr. and Mrs. Will Foster
Admission 50c

G. DUNKELMAN
FINE
Custom Tailoring
220 1/2 North Main Street.

gather in the circuit court room not
later than 11:45 o'clock, to go in a
body, promptly at noon to the special
table laid for them. From 12 o'clock
until 2 in the afternoon, the thousands
of visiting folk will be allowed to do
nothing but eat to their heart's con-
tent. At this latter hour will be one
of the program features—community
singing, under the direction of Mar-
cus T. Nielsen. This will, no doubt
be the most successful singing so far
tried in the county, owing to the num-
ber and enthusiasm of the singers.
W. A. Blagg, who will preside, will in-
troduce Rabbi Bernstein.

Following Rabbi Bernstein's address
the line of march to the station will
form at various points of the square.
The pedestrians will form a body on
West Third street, and the automob-
iles will line on South Main. All car
owners, to avoid confusion, are asked
to go down Buchanan street as far as
necessary in forming. The Maryville
band will head the march and will
be followed by the drafted men. Then
will come the Spanish-American vet-
erans, followed by another band, the
pedestrians, Civil War veterans in au-
tomobiles, and lastly the line of cars.
Interspersed among the marches will
be neighboring bands.

It was expected that Ralph Waldo
Holt, captain of the submarine H3,
who has been visiting his father, L.
R. Holt, would make a short talk dur-
ing Wednesday afternoon, but on ac-
count of plans to leave the first of the
week for the west, he will be unable
to appear.

A. Niel Somerville has been ap-
pointed marshal of the day. Mary-
ville undertakers have announced that
their ambulances will be held in readi-
ness all day in case of injury and ac-
cidents among the barbecue crowd.
The rest rooms at the court house,
Farmers Trust company and Edwards'
Cafe will be open during the day for
the use of visiting mothers and little
ones who may become tired at any
time.

Definite word has been received
from the majority of county towns.
Hopkins, Clyde, Conception and Bar-
nard intend closing all stores and
other places of business for the day.
Harmony, Clearmont and Elmo will
come en masse, and at several towns
the schools will be closed.

Superintendent McDonald, of the
public schools has secured permission
from the school board to close the
schools at 10:30 o'clock to remain
closed for the remainder of the day.
Prof. Bert Cooper, county superin-
tendent advises that all the country
schools that desire to close in honor
of the event and to attend the bar-
becue are at liberty to do so, though
no formal order will be issued.

C. E. Donlin, mayor of Hopkins
phoned this morning that the banks
and business houses there would close
for the day and that the largest dele-
gation that town had ever sent would
be here to take part.

Following the meeting at noon to-
day of the committees who have
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CHURCH 50 YRS. OLD

LARGE AUDIENCES HEAR INTER-
ESTING SERMONS AT M. E. CHURCH

FORMER PASTOR SPEAKS

Rev. Grant A. Robbins of Kansas City
Takes Part in Celebration—Some
Interesting History.

Rev. Grant A. Robbins, D. D., pas-
tor of the Linwood Boulevard Metho-
dist church, Kansas City, preached
the sermon last night at the First M.
E. Church. Dr. Robbins was a former
pastor of the church here and came
to take part in the six days' program,
the semi-centennial celebration of the
dedication of the first house of wor-
ship of the denomination in Mary-
ville.

Dr. Robbins addressed an audience
that filled the large auditorium of
the church, his message being one of
timely import, the call of God to men
and nations.

"Do you know," said Dr. Robbins,
"that before we entered the war Amer-
ica was beginning to be pretty well
hated by the other nations. In Can-
ada where I spent a part of my vaca-
tion last year we were beginning to
be despised as commercialists—
afraid to fight in the cause of right
and justice, while we were furnish-
ing arms and ammunitions to others
and getting rich. But the call came.
It was a divine call and we have an-
swered it nobly. In Canada now the
stars and stripes float beside the En-
glish flag."

"There is a divine call that comes
to both men and nations. History
gives ample evidence of this fact and
the call to America and to our men
to offer their lives and fortunes in
sacrifice that autocracy may be crush-
ed and that right and justice may
rule, was a call from God. You all
know that I am a pacifist, but I am
glad that this nation and our men
answered that call."

Dr. Robbins said that often the di-
vine call was not answered. He de-
clared that it was true to a large ex-
tent in the church, that men fail to
respond to the call for service when
service is needed. That a new order
of things would follow the war was
the belief of the speaker who said
that with America's sons shedding
their blood in the cause of world de-
mocracy and right, we would be
brought closer to God and that money
would be a small thing compared with
the service we might render man-
kind and that higher ideals than com-
mercialism would be sought.

Dr. Robbins expressed his pleasure
at being able to come to Maryville
and speak, and following the service
last night met and shook hands with
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TO HAVE POULTRY SHOW

One by the County Association to be
Held in December—Officers of
the Association Elected.

Plans for the poultry show by the
Nodaway county association were dis-
cussed at a meeting of several chick-
en raisers at a meeting held Satur-
day afternoon. It was decided to hold
the county show either December 11
to 15 or December 18 to 22, the exact
time depending on when a judge can
be secured. The county association
will also offer a special premium to
the township having the largest and
best exhibit at the show.

The officers elected at Saturday's
meeting were: Harve England, presi-
dent; F. P. Robinson, vice-president;
J. H. Sayler, secretary; Otto L. Robey,
assistant secretary; and M. C. Thomp-
son, treasurer.

FEDS WIN FROM CHASES

Fast Semi-Pro St. Joe Team Was Out-
played in Good Game at Fair
Grounds Park Yesterday.

Harry Scott's Federals added an-
other win yesterday when they de-
feated the fast Chase Candy company
team from St. Joseph, at the fair
grounds park, taking the game by a
7 to 2 count. The Chases were win-
ners of the semi-pro championship in
St. Joseph.

The good batting work of the Fed-
erals together with superior control
of the ball by "Lefty" Clark, who
served a variety of curves, put the
Chases out of the running early in
the game. Clark struck out fourteen
batsmen and allowed but four scat-
tering hits. Black caught a fine
game for the locals.

Watson of the St. Joseph Western
League team and Gilmore of Ameri-
can Association fame will be in Mary-
ville uniform in next Sunday's game
with the Brandies Store team from
Omaha.

The box score of yesterday's affair
follows:

MARYVILLE.		AB. R. H. PO. A. E.	
Players—			
Miller, 3b	.....	5	1 2 0 0 0
Black, c	.....	5	1 1 4 0 0
Scott, ss	.....	4	1 0 0 2 1
W. Clark, rf	.....	4	0 1 2 0 0
V. Walker, 2b	.....	4	1 0 1 5 1
Tilson, 1b	.....	3	0 1 9 1 1
L. Walker, cf	.....	4	1 1 0 0 0
Watson, lf	.....	4	1 2 0 0 0
D. Clark, p	.....	3	1 2 1 2 1
Totals	.....	36	7 10 27 10 4

ST. JOSEPH.

AB. R. H. PO. A. E.	
Players—	
Lowe, lf	 4 0 1 1 0 2
Murphy, 3b	 4 0 0 0 4 0
Dorst, cf	 4 0 1 2 0 1
Mays, ss	 4 0 0 3 3 1
Kinnard, 1b	 4 0 1 11 0 1
O'Connor, 2b	 4 1 0 3 3 0
Banks, rf	 3 0 0 0 0 0
Minturn, c	 2 0 0 4 4 1
Kerns, p	 3 1 1 0 3 2
Totals	 32 2 4 24 17 8

Score by innings:
St. Joseph.....001 100 000—2 4 8
Maryville 202 003 00—7 10 4
Summary: Three base hits, Miller,
Black. Bases on balls, by Kerns, 1.
Batsmen hit, by Clark 1. Struck out,
by Kerns 4; by Clark, 14.

BEGINS INVESTIGATION

Grand Jury Takes Up Work Today of
Finding Out About Murder of
Mrs. Maude King.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
New York, Sept. 17.—Investigation
into the relations between Mrs. Maude
King and Gaston B. Means, her pri-
vate secretary, who was present when
the wealthy widow was shot and kill-
ed at Corcord, N. C., began today by a
grand jury.

Important and valuable documents
were taken from Means' New York
apartment by federal officials, who
say these will not only throw light
upon the mysterious disappearance
of the widow's immense fortune, but
will establish Means' connection with
German propaganda in this country.
Mrs. King's sister is also mentioned
in these documents.

WANTS TO BE TRANSFERRED.

Oscar Cox of Guilford Registered at
Hill City, Kan.

The local exemption board received
word today that Oscar Cox of Guil-
ford registered at Hill City, Kan., on
June 5 and had been accepted by the
exemption board at that place. Cox
gave his address as Guilford on his
registration card and now wants
to be transferred to the Nodaway
county quota.

Angell's Comedians at the big tent
theatre tonight.

DEAD ON RY. TRACK

ARTHUR ROE, OF CONCEPTION
JUNCT., RUN DOWN BY ENGINE.

WAS RAILWAY EMPLOYEE

Body Was Found by Foreman Satur-
day Night—Believed He Went
To Sleep on Track.

Albert Roe, who was working on
the night shift at the Chicago Great
Western round house at Conception
Junction, was instantly killed when
an engine ran over him about 8:30
o'clock Saturday evening.

Roe had been to St. Joseph on Sat-
urday and reported for work that eve-
ning. He told the foreman of the
round house he was going out in the
yard. He had complained of being
tired. The foreman in looking for
him several minutes later discovered
his body badly cut.

Coroner H. S. Rowlett was called
and held a view inquest. It was
thought that Roe had been drinking.
Roe was 24 years old and was born
in that community. He is survived
by his mother, Mrs. M. S. Gill, of Con-
ception, and two sisters, Mrs. Elmer
Cogdill and Mrs. Grace May Maengo
of near Conception Junction.

The funeral was held this afternoon
at the home of his mother. Burial
took place at Guilford.

FLAG FROM EVERY WINDOW

Committees in Charge of Farewell
Barbecue for Soldier Boys Urge
Display of Stars and Stripes.

The committees in charge of the
farewell barbecue for the soldier boys
who leave to join the colors on Wed-
nesday, urge that the occasion be
made one of patriotic display and ask
that every business house display the
flag and that every home be deco-
rated. A flag from every window
should greet the men of the new Na-
tional army when they come on Wed-
nesday to say their last farewells to
friends and relatives and the com-
mittees make urgent request that ev-
ery business house and home owner
make special effort to this end that
Maryville may show her interest in
the cause.

Band Concert Wednesday Night.

On account of the farewell recep-
tion and barbecue on Wednesday the
weekly band concert will be given on
that day instead of Thursday evening.
Prof. T. B. Maulding announces to-
day. The program will be announced
later.

Mrs. John H. Price and daughter,
Mabel, of Maryville, were called to
Clearmont on account of the illness
of Donald Price, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Will Price.

A DINNER FOR DELEGATES

Pickering Folks Will Entertain Dele-
gates to County Sunday School
Convention Thursday.

Plans for the annual convention of
the Nodaway County Inter-denomi-
national Sunday School association, to
be held at Pickering on Wednesday
and Thursday next, are nearing com-
pletion and a letter received this morn-
ing by Miss Eva Davis, county secre-
tary, from Paul Vieth, field secretary,
advises that he with Sterling P. Wil-
liams of Kansas City, will reach Mary-
ville on Tuesday evening and will fill
their parts on the program.

Miss Davis reports that the Sunday
schools at Arkoe, Harmony and Barn-
ard have adopted the one hundred per
cent efficiency standard and that other
schools in the county that have not
previously met the efficiency standard
are rapidly getting into line.

G. B. Roseberry, president of the
Nodaway county association says that
nearly every school will have from one
to ten delegates at the convention and
that the program that has been an-
nounced will be carried out. The peo-
ple of Pickering will give a basket
dinner on Thursday for the delegates.
President Roseberry also states that
those who come to Maryville on Wed-
nesday for the farewell barbecue at
noon will have the opportunity of
hearing the best numbers of the pro-
gram if they will visit the convention
at Pickering in the afternoon of that
day.

To Hold Revival Meeting.

Revival meetings are to be held at
the First Baptist church of this city
commencing on Sunday, October 28.
The pastor of the church, the Rev. T.
H. Wiley, will be assisted by Dr. E. F.
Wright of Williamsburg, Ky. Dr.
Wright is one of the leading pastors
of the South. Arrangements are be-
ing made for a three-weeks meeting.
A singer will be secured to have
charge of the music during the re-
vival.

311 At Sunday School.

The Baptist Sunday school had a
rally day yesterday and the attend-
ance was 311.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and probably Tuesday;
slightly warmer in the extreme north-
east portion tonight.

KERENSKY AT HELM

BELIEVE RUSSIAN LEADER WILL
BE PRESIDENT PRO TEM.

FORM NEW CABINET, TOO

Government Determined to Block Any
Interference With Plans—Push
Germans Back Again.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Copenhagen, Sept. 17.—General
Alexieff, chief of staff of the Russian
army, has committed suicide by shoot-
ing himself, according to a Petrograd
dispatch today. The shooting took
place following an interview which
Alexieff had with Kerensky. The dis-
patch stated that Alexieff went to Korn-
iloff's headquarters and put the revo-
lutionary leader under arrest.

Last week Alexieff was made com-
mander-in-chief of the Russian army
in a reorganization of it. A new Rus-
sian cabinet along strict republican
lines is expected within ten days. It
is reported Kerensky would formally
be proclaimed president pro tem now
that Russia has been proclaimed a re-
public. It is believed that a conven-
tion will be called soon in Petrograd
or Moscow to begin the work of draw-
ing up a constitution.

Russians Pushing Germans Back.
Petrograd, Sept. 17.—Attorney Gen-
eral Shablovsk, chief procurator of the
army and navy, has been appointed
president of a special commission to
investigate the mutiny of Korniloff and
his aides. He has left for the front.

The Government is determined to
frustrate any attempts of the Bols-
heviks and the Maximalists to inter-
fere with the newly instituted govern-
ment, their principal papers having
been suppressed, while Kerensky is
working to put order through. The
armies on the northern front continue
their pressure against the Germans.

It is reported from the Riga sector
today that the Russians pushed the
Germans back for miles. The Cossack
troops, whose allegiance was suspect-
ed at the time of the revolt, are pledg-
ing their loyalty to the government.

Miss Ina Campbell began work this
morning in the pattern department of
the Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods store.

Paramount Pictures, with
LENORE ULRICH
Beautiful and Versatile Young
Star, in
"Her Own People"
A Thrilling Modern Drama of
Racial Conflict.
Tomorrow—"Clever's Rebellion."

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE

Real Estate Bank

Maryville, Missouri

at the close of Business Sept. 11, 1917

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts .....\$203,203.54	Capital Stock\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts 2,518.54	Surplus and Undivided
Furniture and Fixtures 1,900.00	Profits 11,466.25
Real Estate 991.00	Bills Payable NONE
Cash and Sight Exchange .. 52,298.38	DEPOSITS 219,456.21
\$260,911.46	\$260,911.46

The above statement is correct.

E. E. WILLIAMS, Cashier.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF

The First National Bank and the Gillam-Jackson Loan & Trust Co.

at the Close of Business, September 11, 1917

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts....\$ 674,434.90	Capital and Surplus\$ 202,000.00
Stocks and Bonds 128,800.00	Undivided Profits 10,787.35
Cash and Sight Exchange 182,962.06	Circulation 100,000.00
Banking House, Furni- ture and Fixtures..... 34,402.84	Deposits 738,266.84
Title Plant 13,628.97	
Redemption Fund 5,000.00	
Overdrafts 9,503.11	
Other Assets 2,322.31	
\$1, 051,054.19	\$1, 051,054.19

Deposits, September 11, 1917.....\$738,266.84.
Deposits, September 11, 1916.....\$625,484.44
Increase.....\$112,782.40

We present herewith the statements of the First National Bank and the
Gillam-Jackson Loan & Trust Company. Both banks are controlled by the
same stockholders and directors. These affiliated institutions are prepared
to intelligently render every proper form of financial service.

JOSEPH JACKSON, JR., Cashier and Secretary.

CHURCH 50 YEARS OLD

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many who were members of the church during his pastorate here. Dr. Robbins will remain over until Tuesday morning before returning home and will lecture this evening in the church auditorium on "The Greatest Frenchman." The lecture will be free. At 6:30 o'clock there will be a fellowship supper, members of the church bringing baskets. All members of the church, former members and pastors, together with any who are interested in the church are invited to attend. No charge will be made for supper.

The semi-centennial celebration of the church will close on Tuesday evening when Bishop William A. Quayle, D. D., L. L. D., poet, orator and preacher, will lecture.

The historical sermon in the morning by the pastor, Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, developed some interesting facts in the church's half century of effort. Among the outstanding names of men whose labors in the early days served to perfect the organization, the first of whom mention was made was Anthony Clemens, a circuit rider who preached in 1847. He was the first preacher to hold meetings here and this year commemorates the 70th anniversary of Methodism in Nodaway county. Another was William Sellers, also a circuit rider, who held meetings in 1854. He was tarred and feathered by residents of the county for his views on the slavery question.

In 1886, the first year following the war, Daniel Hockett, began the erection of the first house of worship, much of the building material being hauled from Savannah. The building was valued at \$11,000 and was the first Protestant church edifice in Maryville. C. H. Stocking was the first regular pastor after the church had been made a station. Judge Ira K. Alderman secured his appointment from an Iowa charge. Rev. Stocking remained until 1869.

Another well remembered preacher was J. W. Caughlin, who began a two years pastorate in 1875. Rev. Caughlin was a great debater on religious questions and frequently engaged in long debates with ministers of other denominations. He is still living and at the advanced age of ninety years will attend the coming state conference.

J. H. Cox, for three years pastor, was one of the best loved men in the church and his many acts of sacrifice and labors are remembered by all the older members.

A new church building was built in 1893 by G. L. Haight, who continued for four years a successful pastorate. E. B. Lytle served longest as pastor, remaining in charge for six years. One pastor, J. S. Ford, died while in the service here.

The church has had twenty-four pastors in its fifty years of existence while but four men have served as Sunday school superintendents: J. G. Honnold, J. W. Airy, W. F. Smith, who was superintendent for nineteen years, and H. C. Bower. The oldest living members of the church are Judge Ira K. Alderman, Mrs. Agnes Dutton and Mrs. Margaret Curfman. They were present at the services yesterday.

In the last twenty-five years the church has given over \$40,000 to various benevolences. The bell that was in the tower of the old church building was cracked while ringing at the time of the assassination of President Garfield; since then no bell has been used.

Two men who were present at the dedication of the first church built were present at yesterday's service, Nathaniel Sisson and Judge W. L. Johnson.

1,000 COMING FROM BARNARD.

1,000 Badges Have Been Ordered For Biggest Delegation.

A telephone message from Barnard just before the Democrat-Forum went to press stated that the citizens will come to Maryville on Wednesday morning 1,000 strong. A committee of business men are having 1,000 badges made to be worn by members of the big delegation. Barnard says no other town in the county will have so large a number here to show their loyalty and interest in the boys who go to war. John Rush, editor of the Barnard Bulletin is printing the badges.

Preached At Oak Hill.

The Rev. T. H. Wiles preached at the Oak Hill church, east of Maryville, yesterday afternoon. A number from Maryville attended the meeting. Among some of them were Mr. and Mrs. William Everhart, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Carter, Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Rowlett.

Mrs. Nash to Reunion.

Mrs. G. A. Nash went to Stanberry Saturday evening to attend a reunion of the Houston family. She will return this evening.

Van Reavis of Burlington Junction is in Maryville on business today.

This Is The Store That Cuts Down The High Cost of Living

These Bargains are for Next Wednesday, September 19

The National Army Day

New Fall Style Coats, Suits, Dresses, Skirts, Etc.

COATS—Never before have we had such a wonderful line of cloaks for Women, Misses and children.

Ladies' Cloaks from.....\$7.50 to \$87.50

Misses' Cloaks from.....\$6.75 to \$29.75

Children's Cloaks from.....\$2.98 to \$15.00

A Special for next Wednesday in a ladies' cloak—made of all wool Velour trimmed with large dog ear collar, belt, deep cuffs and pocket of Yukon Seal Plush in brown, green, navy and black. A wonderful bargain at, each only.....\$15.00

Other coats up to \$90.00.

SUITS—Every suit in our store is brand new this fall and a wonderful collection to select from at.....\$19.75 to \$55.00



SKIRTS—We are now offering an all wool serge skirt in the new styles at, each only....\$5.00

One lot of beautiful fancy Taffeta Silk Skirts—a rare bargain at each, only.....\$7.50

DRESSES—The new dresses this season are wonderful.

Serge Dresses from.....\$10.00 to \$29.75

Silk Dresses from.....\$15.00 to \$45.00

We are showing a most beautiful assortment of serge and silk dresses—all sizes at, each only.....\$16.75



NEW FALL SILKS AND DRESS GOODS.

Buy Silks and Dress Goods on this "New National Army Day" and save money.

36-inch all wool French or Storm Serge, in black, navy blue, red, brown and green, per yard only.....85c

45-inch very fine French Serge, per yard only.....\$1.25

45-inch Otterman Poplin—all colors, per yard only.....\$1.75

36-inch Taffeta Silks, very Special, per yard, only.....\$1.39

36-inch beautiful Satin Messaline—black and all plain colors—Special price, per yard only.....\$1.45

40-inch Crepe de Chine—all colors, will be only per yard.....\$1.43

45-inch Crepe Chiffon in a beautiful line of plain colors for Waists, Dresses and used for sleeves in Wool Dresses, now only, yard.....\$1.39

36-inch Silk Warp Poplin, black and colors, now only, the yard.....95c

UNDERWEAR.

Our stock of new 1917 "Athena" underwear is now complete for women and children. Buy your underwear now and you will save money and get what you want. There isn't any mill that will accept another order for fall underwear and when our present stock is sold there won't be any more to be had at any price this season.

NEW GINGHAMS.

Beautiful new fall gingham in a large range of patterns and colors at, yard 15c, 18c, 22c, 25c, 29c

THREAD.

We are still selling the best J. & P. Coats' six cord thread at, per spool only.....4c

DOMESTICS.

For this one day we will sell you cotton goods at away under market value—it will be a long time before you will have a chance to buy them so cheap again.

Hope Muslin, per yard, only.....13c
(Limit 10 yards to a customer).

9-4 Pepperall Bleached Sheeting, only, yard 37c

10-4 Pepperall Bleached Sheeting, only, yd. 39c

42-inch Pepperall Bleached Pillow Tubing only, the yard.....23c
(Limit 5 yards to a customer).

Crystal Spray Bleached Muslin, yard only 9c
(Limit 10 yards to a customer).



TOILET SUNDRIES.

One lot of odd brands Talcum Powder, can 7c
Melba Face Powder, only.....39c
Melba Face Powder, only.....19c
Java Rice Face Powder, only.....39c
La Blanche Face Powder, only.....39c
Melba, large size Toilet Water, only.....69c
25c size Colgate's Toilet Water, only.....19c
50c size Colgate's Toilet Water, only.....39c
Colgate's Cold Cream, only.....19c
Melba Skin Cleanser, only.....39c
Cuticura Soap, only.....19c

All "Cutex" Manicure Articles now 10 per cent off.

All Vantine's Japanese Toilet Articles now at one-fifth off.

All "Cutex" Articles 10 per cent off.



HOUSE DRESSES AND BUNGALOW APRONS.

All short sleeve and summer House Dresses must leave us now.

\$1.48 House Dresses, now only.....\$1.19
\$1.98 House Dresses, now only.....\$1.69
\$2.48 House Dresses, now only.....\$1.95
\$2.98 House Dresses, now only.....\$2.29

You will look so smart, clean and neat in one of these attractive Cover-All Aprons.

\$.69 Aprons, now only.....49c
.79 Aprons, now only.....59c
.89 Aprons, now only.....69c
.98 Aprons, now only.....83c
1.19 Aprons, now only.....94c
1.48 Aprons, now only.....\$1.19

PERCALES.

Full 36-inch Percales, large assortment of colors, per yard, only.....17c

OUTING FLANNEL.

The best grade heavy outing flannel, large assortment of patterns—this day only, per yard.....15c

RIBBONS.

Here is a big bargain in Hair Ribbons for the school girls—plain colors and fancies—good widths, per yard, only.....15c

SWEATERS.

Just received our large shipment of sweaters for girls and ladies in all the new weaves, colors and styles—all very reasonably priced.

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Announcing the Ryzon Baking Book

We have become the local distributors for RYZON BAKING POWDER, the "perfect baking powder." In order to introduce it here we have made special arrangements by which every purchaser of a 1-pound can at the regular price of 35c will receive a copy of the RYZON BAKING BOOK FREE.

This book sells regularly for \$1.00 and is edited by Marion Harris Neil, former cookery editor of the Ladies' Home Journal. From 8,379 recipes submitted by experts from all over the nation was this book compiled. It is illustrated in colors, showing just how many of the cooked articles should look.

We have received only 240 of these books, and the first purchasers of Ryzon get theirs free.

Schumacher's

The Democrat-Forum

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INITIATE 66 NEW MEMBERS

Over 200 Visiting Knights of Columbus
Entertained Yesterday by Local
Lodge—Banquet at Elks.

The local lodge of the Knights of Columbus entertained yesterday over two hundred visiting members of the order from towns in this jurisdiction comprising several counties in north-west Missouri, the occasion being the initiation of a class of sixty-six new members. A special train arriving from St. Joseph in the forenoon brought nearly one hundred members and candidates, with other towns being well represented. The degree work was in charge of Joseph Kane, state deputy of St. Louis, and the degree team from that city.

The afternoon was given over to initiation of the class, Odd Fellows' hall being used as it was found that a larger number had come for the class work and banquet that followed than the local committee had anticipated.

Shortly after six o'clock a banquet was served in honor of the new members at the Elks home, the affair being in sole charge of members of the Elks lodge, who spared no pains in order that the visiting Knights might have a favorable impression of Maryville hospitality. The banquet program included addresses by priests and laymen and vocal and instrumental music while the menu was declared one of the most elaborate ever served by the Elks. A special train on the Burlington left shortly after midnight, carrying the St. Joseph delegation. Those from other towns took later trains to their homes, visiting with friends here in the meantime.

The local committee on arrangements was: E. L. Ferritor, grand knight; Wm. Doffing, J. Ed Costello, C. W. Yehle, Edward Schumacher, and Frank Cummins. J. B. Cummins acted as toastmaster at the banquet.

Hurry and get a good seat early if you are going to see Angell's big Co. at the big tent tonight.

WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Mrs. Quinn's Experience
Ought to Help You Over
the Critical Period.

Lowell, Mass.—"For the last three years I have been troubled with the change of life and the bad feelings common at that time. I was in a very nervous condition, with headaches and pain a good deal of the time so I was unfit to do my work. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which I did, and it has helped me in every way. I am not nearly so nervous, no headache or pain. I must say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the best remedy any sick woman can take."



—Mrs. MARGARET QUINN, Rear 255 Worthen St., Lowell, Mass.

Other warning symptoms are a sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness, inquietude, and dizziness.

If you need special advice, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.

2,200 BOYS IN CORN CLUB

State Association to Give Prizes for
Highest Records—Nodaway Has
the Largest Enrollment.

Columbia, Mo., Sept. 17.—The corn club — 2,200 of them — are having a breathing spell after a summer of plowing, planting and cultivation. It has been a good corn year in most sections of the state and now the boys are awaiting harvest because harvest will determine in a large measure who will be entered in the contest at Columbia during Farmers' week.

Four gold watches, three trophies, two medals, one diploma and seventy cash prizes, which range from \$25 to \$1, are offered to those boys who make the highest records. Most of these are offered by the Missouri State Corn Growers' association and the Missouri Ruralist. These prizes will be awarded during Farmers' week at the University of Missouri College of Agriculture. In some counties local contests will be held and local prizes will be awarded.

The Commercial clubs of Chillicothe, Mound City, Brunswick, and Lamar will pay the Farmers' week expenses of the boy who makes the highest score in the respective counties.

Nodaway county has the largest enrollment, 168. Chariton county comes next with 154, Benton 76, Henry 75, Morgan 68.

Observation and Deduction.

All science that is worthy of the name is based on accurate observation upon which must follow intelligent deduction from the data thus collected.

Correct observation and deductions are not easy processes by any means. Errors may creep into the deliberations of those well trained. Still, by constantly working away at it, the keen observer learns things and his deductions are more and more accurate.

Dr. Prettyman makes a study of Nervous and Chronic diseases, has ample opportunity to observe the proper way to diagnose and treat them, and his success proves this to be the case. Consult him at the Linville Hotel, Wednesday, Sept. 19.

Missouri's First "War Song."

Camp Clark, Nevada, Mo., Sept. 17 —Here's Missouri's first "war song." It was written by Sam Goldberg, of the First Infantry and is sung to the tune of "Mother."

U is for the Union that we serve in,
S is for the states we represent;
A is for the arms we have to carry,
R is for the rations that we get;
M is for the miles we have to travel,
Y is for the years we have to serve;
Put them all together, U. S. Army—
three words that mean six years to us.

Fiery Eczema and Skin Eruptions Readily Yield to This Old Remedy

Successfully used for fifty years.

Eczema and similar skin troubles come from a disordered, impure condition of the blood, and they can only be cured by giving the blood a thorough cleansing, and removing from it all traces of impurity.

This is why S. S. S. has been used so successfully in hundreds of cases of Eczema and other skin eruptions.

This wonderful remedy is without an equal as a blood purifier, being probably the oldest blood medicine on the market. It has been sold by druggists for fifty years.

You are invited to write to-day for complete and full advice as to the treatment of your own case. Address, Chief Medical Adviser, Swift Specific Co., Dept. H Atlanta, Ga.

Wanted--50 Autos to Paint

We Got the Place, Time and Room. All work absolutely guaranteed to be first class. Star Auto and Carriage Painting Co.—F. L. Bassett Manager with Arnett Decorating Co.—Phone 414.

CONWAY FARM WILL BE DIVIDED

Eighteen acres in each tract. All tracts to have frontage on both the west and east sides. Ten minutes walk from Normal school, overlooking Maryville to the east. Will be sold in tracts as above or the entire sixty-nine acres together.

SEE J. R. CONWAY,
Maryville, Missouri

Bainum Hotel

Attention Road Drag Contractors

The State Highway Board has made a ruling that they will not honor any requisitions from a County Highway Board until the dragging is done and reported. The ruling took effect July 1, 1917. All persons dragging county seat roads MUST report monthly or we will not get the money for that month. I will request that all persons who have been dragging county seat roads come in the 19th of September. The board will be in session and will pay for all work done up to Sept. 1, 1917, and show you how to make out the monthly reports.

The work has been done and in nearly every case well done, and the money is here to pay it, but these monthly reports MUST be made or the board will be obliged to discontinue the dragging and make other permanent improvements on these roads, as we cannot afford to lose this money.

GEO. S. MILLER
Chairman Highway Board

The Maryville Furniture Company



Extends Greetings

to the thousands of patriotic Nodaway county citizens who will be in Maryville Wednesday to bid farewell to the home boys who are going into the National Army.

Make this store your headquarters during the day. Every convenience at our command will be for you.

We have just received two carloads of New Furniture and it is now on display in our salesrooms. If you are thinking of buying something in this line, we shall be pleased to show you through the stock at any time. Never in all the years we have been in Maryville have we had a stock so complete and that represented so many real money-saving opportunities as now.

Maryville Furniture
Company

J. E. BAILEY, Manager

Undertaking : : : : Embalming

EMPIRE THEATRE Wed. Sept. 19

Matinee 2:00 p. m. Night 7:30 and 9:30

Thomas H. Ince Presents The World's Greatest Film Spectacle

Cost \$1,000,000 to Produce

Civilization

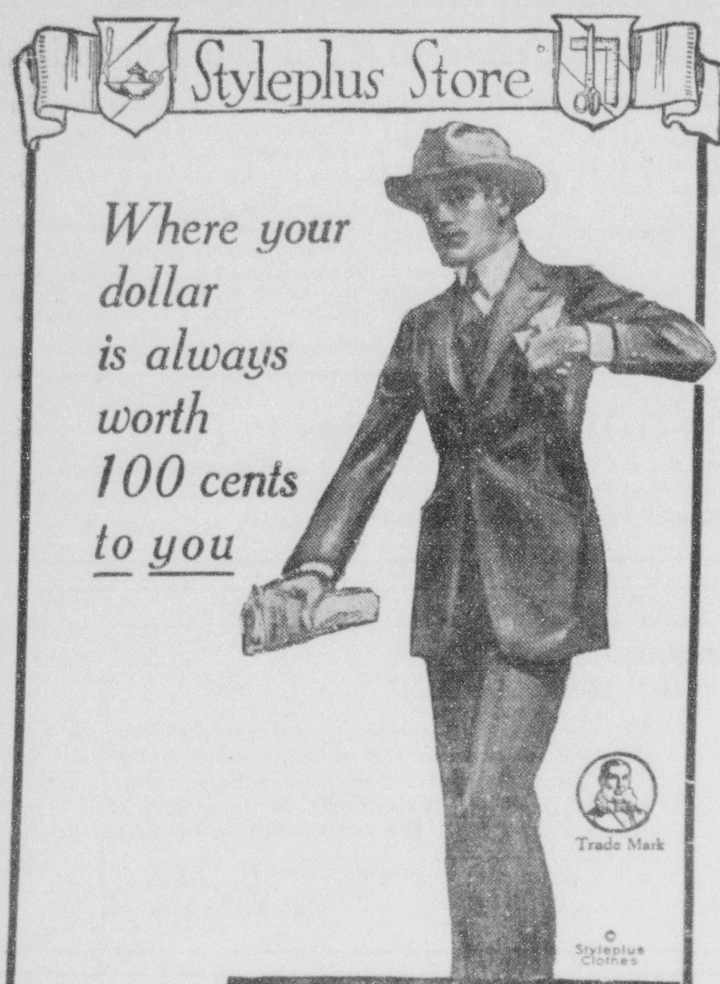
Greater Than "The Birth of a Nation"

The acme of realization. The sensation of Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis and the Metropolitan Centers.

If you have one drop of American Blood
in your body SEE CIVILIZATION

Empire Theatre

Prices—Night 25 and 50c. Matinee 25c



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worth
100 cents
to you

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The label, the sleeve ticket, the
pocket guarantee, the national
publicity for many years, the
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satisfactory service—all mean
confidence

Styleplus Clothes
\$17 AND \$21

"Each grade the same price the nation over"

\$17 worth to you or we make it good.
—worth much more on the
market today.
—now, while the supply lasts.
—all-wool fabrics, style by a
great designer, expert tailoring,
sound guarantee, definite price.

\$21—a new Styleplus grade added by
the makers—greater variety of
fabrics and models.

100 cents worth in every dollar's worth.

Murphy Clothing Co.
ONE PRICE CLOTHIERS

MORE WHEAT ACREAGE

Estimates of the State College Show
Counties Thus Far Covered by
Them Point to Big Increase.

Columbia, Sept. 17.—Missouri will
raise its quota of the liberty wheat
crop.

Reports from field men of the Un-
iversity of Missouri College of Agri-
culture who are assisting farmers in
the wheat campaign, show counties
thus far covered by them point to an
increase of more than 25 per cent
over the average last year.

At least 25 per cent of the farmers
have signified their intention of pre-
paring a better wheat seedbed than
heretofore. Most of the communities
will sow the required 30 per cent in-
creased acreage and some will in-
crease the acreage as much as 100
per cent.

The acreage sown last fall was 1,-
800,000. The necessary acreage based
on government estimates will be
2,400,000 this fall.

BOY SCOUTS GIVE DRILL.

Demonstration of First Aid at Metho-
dist Sunday School Yesterday.

Part of two patrols of Troop 1, Boy
Scouts, following an invitation, went
to the First Methodist church at the
close of Sunday school yesterday
morning and gave 10-minute demon-
stration and exhibition of first aid
work. The Scouts in full uniform and
marching with a large flag, made a
fine appearance and were heartily ap-
plauded. In the afternoon members
of the Troop were taken by Henry
Westfall and P. O. Landon in their
automobiles to inspect a permanent
camp site nine miles southwest of
Maryville, where they expect to make
some permanent improvements, look-
ing toward the establishment of a
camp next summer, where all the
Scouts in the county may gather.

REMARKABLE SUBMARINE VIEWS.

Scenes in Civilization Actually Taken
in Government Undersea Craft.

"Civilization," Thomas H. Ince's
great film spectacle, which comes to
the Empire Theatre for two perform-
ances next Wednesday, contains many
remarkable photographic scenes show-
ing warfare in three phases, in the
air, on land and under the sea. There
have been a number of successful war
pictures showing battles on land, and
even in the air, among them "The
Birth of a Nation," but "Civilization"
is the first film venture of pretentious
type to show scenes under the sea.
The principal episode in "Civilization"
is a marvelous reproduction of the
sinking of the Lusitania by a German
submarine. This scene was made pos-
sible through the co-operation of the
Navy Department in Washington,
which permitted the use of one of the
Government submarines anchored on
the Pacific coast near Los Angeles,
California. Thomas H. Ince, produc-
er of "Civilization," purchased a huge
freighter from one of the Pacific
steamship lines, filled it with hundreds
of men, women and children—all of
them expert swimmers, and sunk the
boat mid-ocean. The illusion on the
screen is perfect, as well as intensely
dramatic. One sees all the horrors of
the Lusitania tragedy which shocked
the civilized world several years ago.
Nothing like it has ever been attempt-
ed either on the stage or with the
camera. This scene alone makes
"Civilization" a remarkable attrac-
tion, although it is but one of the many
similar episodes that are bound to
make the most popular entertainment
of its kind ever produced in Maryville.

Dr. Jesse Miller went to Joplin, Mo.,
yesterday, where he will attend a
meeting of dentists, returning home
on Wednesday.

Dissolution PUBLIC SALE

Will sell at the G. S. Lawson farm,
3 miles northwest of Ravenwood, at
1:30 p. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPT. 20, 1917

The following property:
52 HEAD REGISTERED SPOTTED
POLAND-CHINA HOGS.

7 HEAD REGISTERED SHORT-
HORN CATTLE.
Registered Jennet seven years old
with jack colt at side; also one four-
year-old jennet with jack colt at side,
two 2-year-old and one yearling jennets
—all five jennets bred to good
jacks.

PATTON 25392, five-year-old Per-
cheron stallion.

Other Good Horses—Two mares
with colts at side, one team of good
roan mares, one aged brood mare, one
smooth mouth gelding.

Some hay, farm implements, house-
hold goods and one buggy, good as
new.

Will on day of sale furnish papers
on all stock registered or eligible to
register. Will also furnish crates and
deliver hogs to railroad station when
buyers want to ship.

LAWSON & MONTGOMERY.
Chas. W. Taylor, Auct.
F. H. Casteel, Clerk.

Reducing Passenger Train Service.

Fairfax Harrison, chairman of the
railroad men's war board announces
the discontinuance of passenger trains
"representing 16,267,025 miles of train
service a year."

This seems to be a true measure of
war economy. Mr. Harrison explains
that it will effect a saving of 97,232
tons of coal a year. There will also
be some economy in motive power.
The economies effected are so highly
desirable, not to say essential, at this
time as to make the mere fact of their

accomplishment an ample justifica-
tion.

C. A. Auten Sells Farm.

C. A. Auten, living four miles south
of Maryville, sold his farm of 146 acres
to Frank Roney also south of Mary-
ville. The deal was made through G.
B. Holmes.

Miss Besse Smith of Chicago, who
has been visiting at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. George Baker left today
for her home.

Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at the farm, 3½ miles south of Mary-
ville, (on the Savannah road), on

Friday, September 21, 1917

the following property:

6 HEAD OF HORSES, MARES AND COLTS—Gray 5-year-old horse,
weight, 1,700; bay mare, 6 years old, weight, 1,400; 1 team, smooth mouth
gentle and good workers; yearling draft colt and 1 weanling colt.

27 HEAD OF CATTLE—9 milk cows (4 with calves at foot); 5 year-
ling heifers, 4 yearling steers, 4 spring calves; 1 yearling Shorthorn bull.

26 HEAD OF HOGS—8 brood sows; 18 head of spring pigs.
HAY, GRAIN, FEED—150 bu. of old corn, 400 bu. of oats, 9 tons of
choice clover hay, 8 tons fine timothy hay, 12 tons oat straw, (hay and
straw baled). Some hay in stack, 4 acres cane hay in shock, 40 ACRES
CORN IN FIELD—40 acres stock field and pasture.

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—2 wagons; nearly new buggy; binder, good as
new; manure spreader; 2 corn planters (1 nearly new), 2 cultivators
(1 nearly new); disc (nearly new); sulky plow; walking plow; 2 harrows;
(1 new); spring tooth harrow; seeder; mower and rake; 2 sets of work
harness; set double driving harness; set single harness; corn sheller; 2
steel tanks; scraper; 15 BU. POTATOES; 25 BU. APPLES; some wood, coal
and household goods; 7 OR 8 DOZEN PLYMOUTH ROCK HENS, and other
things too numerous to mention. LUNCH ON GROUNDS.

TERMS—\$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 6 or 9
months time on a bankable note, bearing 7 per cent interest.

DAVID CUNNINGHAM

R. P. HOSMER, Auct.

JOS. JACKSON, JR., Clek.

Chesterfield

CIGARETTES

of IMPORTED and DOMESTIC
tobaccos—Blended



"They please the taste
great! But also—"

IF a cigarette simply pleased the taste,
smokers used to let it go at that.
But not now.

Because Chesterfields give smokers not
only a taste that they like, but also a
new kind of smoking-enjoyment—

Chesterfields hit the smoke-spot, they
let you know you are smoking—they
"Satisfy"!

Yet, they're MILD!

The new blend of pure, natural Im-
ported and Domestic tobaccos—that
tells the story. And the blend can't be
copied—don't forget that!

Ask for Chesterfields—next time you buy.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

They "Satisfy"!—
and yet they're Mild.



Wrapped in
glassine paper
—keeps them
fresh.

20 for
10¢

Visited in Fairfax.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jensen and
children, Lillie, Martin and Emily, Mr.
and Mrs. W. T. Doyle, Mr. and Mrs.
Guy Aley and son, Don, and Melvin
Neal, motored to Fairfax yesterday
and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs.
William Stewart and family.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

A Nice Selection of Os-
trich Plume "Fluffy
Ruffles"

Ferns

Just right for autumn
and winter use
50c, 75c and \$1.00 each

The Engelmann Greenhouses
Phones 17. 1001 S. Main

Real Estate Transfers.

List of instruments filed in the
recorder's office in Nodaway county,
Missouri. Beginning September 8.
Jonathan Wohlford to Samuel A.
Wohlford, N½, E½, SW, 11, 62, 35,
\$1,000.
Margaret E. Stafford to Georgeann
Key, W½, L 5 and 6, B 8, Torrance
Add, Maryville, \$600.
City of Maryville to C. A. Holt, L
11, B 30, 1st add Oak Hill, \$25.
Edward E. Sweeney to Julia A.
Sweeney et al, Int. SW, SE, part N½,
SE, 1, SE NW, 12, 64, 34, \$1,832.35.
Lydia E. Taylor to Thomas B.

Neal and wife, part, SE, SE, 18, 64,
35, \$1,750.

White Cloud Lodge No. 92 to Mar-
tha C. Brown, N½, L 5, B 26, 1st add.
Miriam, \$30.

Robert T. Campbell to Edwin C.
McCumber and wife, lots 1, 2 and 3,
Block 7, in J. M. Lamar's add. to El-
mo, \$375.

Eliza A. Diltz et al to Martha C.
Brown, E½, SW, 17, part SW, NE, 24,
63, 36, \$1.00.

Martha C. Brown to Mary L. Ellis-
worth, N½, SE, 20, 63, 36, \$1.00.

Martha C. Brown to Eliza A. Diltz,
W½, NE, 20, 63, 36, \$1.00.

Eliza A. Diltz to Martha C. Brown,

E½, SW, 17, part SW, NE, 24, 63, 36,
\$1.00.

Samuel A. Krugh to Frank L. Hart,
W½, NE, 23, 63, 34, \$1.00.

Frank L. Hart to Phyllis E. Krugh,
W½, NE, 23, 63, 34, \$1.00.

Samuel A. Krugh to Olin E. Krugh,
E½, NE, 23, 63, 34, \$1.00.

Henry Weber to Henry S. Neff and
wife, NE, 16, 66, 37, \$20,800.

Roy F. Wells to Samuel Griffey,
part SW, SW, 2, 64, 34, \$1.00.

Charles C. Carr to Floyd M. Am-
brose, part SE, 22, 63, 35, \$15,496.25.

George A. Aley to R. L. Baldwin, L
3, part L 4, WB SE Maryville, \$8,000.

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OPEN YOUR SAVINGS ACCOUNT NOW.

Lay the foundation of your fortune
by opening a savings account today.
Deposits of one dollar and upwards
received in our savings department.

INTEREST PAID TWICE A YEAR.
OLDEST BANK IN THE COUNTY.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK.

A BANK OF SAVINGS.

MARYVILLE, MO.



EYES EXAMINED FREE

Our expert graduate Optometrist
will diagnose your eye troubles and
tell you what you need. The service
is free at

KUCHS BROTHERS

222 N. Main Street

Fresh Candies, 1/2 lb. . . 10c
Salted Peanuts, 1/2 lb. . . 10c
Fresh Marshmallows, box 10c
Jelly Glasses, doz. . . 19c

Grahams

ALL SORTS OF THINGS
The Store That Saves You Money

Drill Gloves, pair. . . 10c
Leather Tipped Gloves 15c
Leather Faced Gauntlets, ... 33c
6 Boxes Matches. . . . 25c

We hope everybody will come to the Barbecue Wednesday, eat their portion of the tender Ox Roast and best of all give the "Glad Hand" and best wishes to the Boys who are going across the waters to show the Bosches what Americans can do. While here take the time to come to our store. Make yourself at home—LOOK AROUND and see what we can do for you for Fall.

We show a fine assortment of Blankets from - \$1.98 to \$4.98

Good durable Outing Flannels in very desirable Patterns 12 1/2 & 15c

Cotton Bats, made of good clean staple cotton, per roll - 15c

Cotton Batting, made of good clean staple cotton 72x90, full size per roll - 89c

A Misses, good quality, roll collar, Worsted Sweater, cardinal only special - \$2.48

A Ladies heavy cable, roll collar Sweater, Gray and cardinal, special - \$4.98

Boys heavy weight, warm roll collar Sweaters; gray only, 69c & \$1.25

Mens heavy weight, warm, roll collar Sweaters, 89c, \$1.69 and \$4.48

Trimmed Velvet Hats in the latest styles, \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.88 and - \$3.48

We have all sorts of other things useful and ornamental what you ought to see. It will pay you as we always sell at the lowest cash prices.

Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY.
Hannam, 42. Farmers, 114

War Relief Calendar.

MONDAY—A committee meeting will be held at 4 o'clock at the Rest rooms with a representative from each of the town Surgical Dressings units to formulate plans for picture show. Mary Pickford, in Miss America on Monday night, September 24, at the Empire theatre.

TUESDAY—The Ravenwood unit meets with Mrs. W. J. Osburn and Miss Ruth Montgomery as instructors.

WEDNESDAY—The Shakespeare Surgical Dressings unit will meet Wednesday evening at the Carnegie Library, with Miss Bettie Turner as instructor.

The Hospital unit will meet with Mrs. Vilas Martin, with Mrs. Martin, instructor.

THURSDAY—The Young Ladies' Missionary unit of the Methodist church will meet at the Carnegie Library with Miss Ruth Montgomery instructor.

The Evening unit will meet in the basement of the Library, with Miss Ora Barmann instructor.

P. F. O. G. Surgical Dressings unit of Parnell will meet Thursday afternoon with Miss Bettie Turner instructor.

Calendar.

TUESDAY—The Tourist Department of the Twentieth Century club will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. C. F. Remus.

The Penelope club will meet with Mrs. W. O. Garrett on Tuesday afternoon, instead of the regular time, which is on Wednesday.

The Westminster Guild of the First Presbyterian church will hold an indoor picnic in the Sunday school rooms.

The Mary Lawrence circle will meet with Mrs. Edward Wright Gray.

THURSDAY—A special meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the First Methodist church will be held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the church.

FRIDAY—The Homemakers Bible class of the South Methodist church will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. French Carter, 1015 East Second street.

SATURDAY—Mrs. Fred Kurtz will entertain the P. E. O. at her home Saturday afternoon.

Farewell Party.

Miss Grace Elliott was hostess of a surprise and farewell party Friday evening given in honor of Frank Elliott who will leave this week with the drafted army. The evening was spent in games and music after which refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Crain, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Elliott, Misses Mary and Lois Hartman, Adah Ware, Velma Burns, Alice Crain, Alice Drydale, Irene Thrasher, Eva Thrasher, Eva Troth, Lottie Schrader, Elsie and Eva Davis, Emma Criss, Melissa Jackson, Belle Hutchinson, Hazel Davidson and Edna Thompson; Leonard and Roy Drydale, Lee Burns, Jim and Elmer Thrasher, Howard and Owen Campbell, Frank Pew, Earl Detrich, Loren Hutchinson, Orrie Thompson, Frank Elliott, Ressie Wade,

Frank Rithers, Charley Hartman, Ted and Dick Crain, Loren Turner, Glen Crain, Montie Troth and Paul Drydale.

Miss Sturm Honored.

Miss Thelma Davis entertained a party of young people in honor of Miss Frieda Sturm, who is her guest. Out-door games were played and light refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Pearl Peve, Lottie Gray, Lela Russell, Frayna Coleman, Opal Orme, Lula Brummett, Alta Godsey, Pauline Coleman, Velma

Frost, Mildred Smith; Wren Peve, George Lowery, Charles Gorton, Lawrence and Russell Nicholson, Cecil Hyde, Roy Brummett, Dave Godsey, Harry Davis, Paul Smith, Don Albright, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Orme, the honor guest and the hostess.

King's Herald Band Picnic.

Miss Ruth Matter and Mrs. Guy Halter chaperoned the members of the King's Herald Band on a picnic given Saturday afternoon at the Normal park. About fifteen members were present. The afternoon was spent in

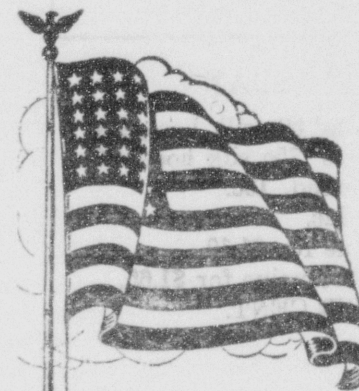
playing games after which a delicious luncheon was served.

For Son, Who Leaves Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan O'Grady entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their country home, four miles west of Maryville, in honor of their son, Ray, who leaves Wednesday with the drafted boys. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Donnell of near Arkoe, Mr. and Mrs. Lee O'Grady of Maryville, Misses Ella and Veronica O'Grady, Ray and Will O'Grady and the host and hostess.

Alderman Yehle Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Our Soldier Boys Will be the Honored Guests Wednesday



OUR Soldier Boys—The flower of American Manhood will be our guests of honor on Wednesday. Everyone in the surrounding country is invited to participate in this farewell reception.

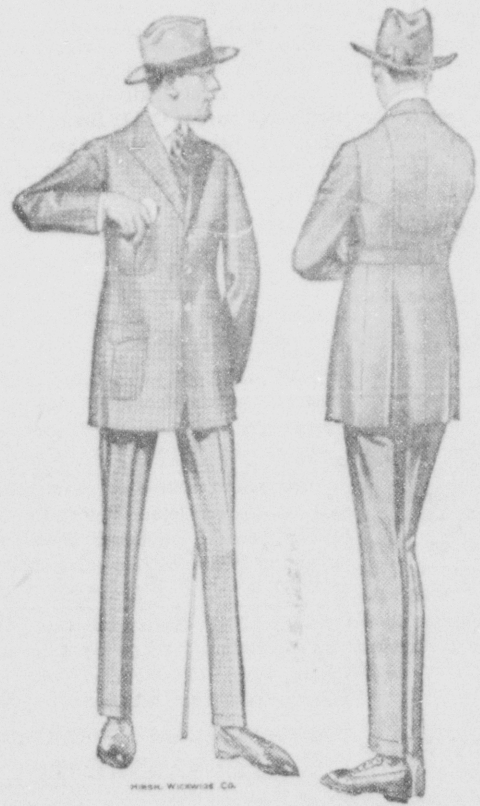
There is so little that we can do for the boys, but we can pay tribute by attending this farewell gathering.

There are only a very few things that the boys are permitted to take with them that the government does not supply and it would be a fine thing for their friends to make them presents of these items. The value of a personal gift of this kind cannot be over estimated.

We have a very extensive assortment of the items that the boys are permitted to take and will be glad to give you any suggestions you may desire.

This store has planned for your comfort while here and invites you to make this your headquarters Wednesday

Clothcraft Clothes



SERGE SPECIALS

5130—Blue \$18.50

4130—Blue \$22.50

Clothcraft Blue Serge Special 5130 is the largest selling suit in America.

Make this store your headquarters, Barbecue Day, Wednesday

Each make of suit or overcoat represents a different combination of Fit, Looks and Wear. In some, to get the price down, all three qualities are sacrificed. In others, Looks are neglected to get Wear at a price. Much more frequently Wear is forgotten for the sake of appearance.

We feature Clothcraft Clothes be-

cause of our earnest conviction that these splendid garments for men and young men offer the utmost in Looks, Fit and Long Wear that can be given at moderate prices. No man careful of his appearance need be ashamed to appear in them. No man careful of his pocketbook can afford to pass them by.

Hart, Schaffner & Marx Suits \$20.00 to \$30.00

Montgomery-Cummins
Clothing Company

The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx and Clothcraft Clothes

Barbecue Day Bargains

In addition to the special prices we are offering during our FALL OPENING SALE on Pianos and Player-Pianos, we will offer on BARBECUE DAY, next Wednesday, the following listed instruments at exceptionally low prices.

One Walnut Case Player-Piano

This piano has been used in our store for demonstration purposes, but looks and is, as good as new. We will sell it, fully guaranteed, for \$300; regular price \$395. This price includes bench, scarf and twenty rolls.

One New Upright Piano

We will offer one new upright piano, walnut or oak case, standard make, regular price \$275; Barbecue Day \$200.

One Used Upright Piano

One nearly new upright piano, mahogany case, standard make, in first class condition, Barbecue Day \$165. This piano cost \$375 when new and has had very little use and excellent care.

One Used Upright Piano

One standard make, mahogany case piano, used several years but well cared for, worth \$150; Barbecue Day \$110.

CABINET ORGANS

We have several excellent cabinet organs, taken in exchange which are worth from \$25 to \$60, your choice on Barbecue Day for \$15. These organs are in walnut and oak cases with mirrors and also some in cabinet form.

We Sell the Celebrated Victor Victrolas and Records

We will be glad to demonstrate these machines to you at any time. If you cannot call at our store drop us a card and our salesman will call on you and show you a Victrola in your own home.

LANDON
MUSIC COMPANY

North Main St. — Maryville, Mo.

Our Fall Opening Sale
is Now On

and we are making lower prices on all our Pianos and Player-Pianos. If you are thinking of buying any time within a year it will pay you to investigate this sale.

We are Looking for You Wednesday—Be sure and come and help us make Wednesday the Biggest Day Maryville ever had. OUR STORE IS IN THE CENTER

of the central block and all the entertainment of the day will be in front of our store.

OUR STORE WILL ALSO BE THE center of attraction with those who will have any shopping to do as our line of Ready-to-Wear Garments—Dress Goods and Silks are proving irresistible with all the buyers.

A BIG LINE OF DRESSES JUST RECEIVED THIS MORNING. THE WONDER OF ALL IS OUR \$15.00 SPECIAL MADE FROM HEAVY QUALITY SATIN WITH GEORGETTE SLEEVES.

A FEW SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY

Ladies' 35c lisle hose, 29c. Ladies' 50c silk hose, 45c.
Ladies' 30c black hose, 26c. Ladies' 75c silk hose, 64c.
With your purchase, 4 spools Coats thread, 15c.
36-inch serges in colors, 85c values for 74c.
54-inch all wool brown serge, \$1.50 value for \$1.19.
40-inch fine quality Georgette crepe, \$2.00 value for \$1.65.
All silk petticoats reduced TWENTY PER CENT.
\$1.50 corsets for \$1.25.
\$1.00 corsets for 89c.

TO MORE THOROUGHLY INTRODUCE OUR FAMOUS PERIN LINE OF TOILET GOODS, WE OFFER

50c complexion powder, 39c. 25c complexion powder, 19c.
50c cold and vanishing creams, 39c.
25c talcum powder, 19c. 50c tooth paste, 39c.
15c talcum powder, 12c. 75c toilet waters, 59c.

ALL WINTER UNDERWEAR REDUCED FIVE PER CENT. ALL RUGS AND LINOLEUMS REDUCED FIVE PER CENT.

DON'T FAIL TO SEE OUR \$3.98 AND \$5.00 GEORGETTE BLOUSES, ALSO \$5.00 CREPE DE CHINESE. CUSTOMERS TELL US THEY LOOK AS GOOD AS OTHER STORES' \$7.50 WAISTS. QUITE A COMPLIMENT.

We carry the biggest stock of Ready-to-Wear Garments of any store in Maryville, and price always the lowest.

D. R. EVERSOLE & SON

Remus

MERCANTILE COMPANY

Corner Third and Buchanan Streets



Thousands of Nodaway County people will be in Maryville Wednesday to do honor to the home boys who are leaving for the training camp and to make a part of the new National Army to fight for their country.

Make our store your headquarters during the day and if you are so disposed our salespeople will be pleased to show you our assortment of new goods in the various departments.

Mrs. Perrin Honor Dinner Guest.
Miss Ruth Matter entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Saturday in honor of Mrs. Lona Perrin of St. Paul, Minn., who is visiting relatives in Maryville. Additional guests were: Mrs. Nellie Airy, Mrs. A. R. Perrin and Miss Maye Gowney.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Steiger of Ravenwood were guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gooden of Maryville.

Mrs. Oliver Boyard, who has been spending a week at Big Lake returned yesterday to her home in Maryville.

COLDS
Head or chest—are best treated "externally"
VICK'S VAPORUB



Special Service on Barbecue Day. You'll have no delays—prompt service as usual.

Eat Your Dinner Here.

Edwards'

"The Place to Eat" 412 N. Main

TWO MORE WERE CERTIFIED.

Names of Earl Claycomb and Karl Kent Sent to District Board.

Earl Claycomb of Maryville and Karl Silence Kent, of Barnard have been certified by the local exemption board to the district board at Kansas City for military service. The local board has exempted Loren L. Pfeiffer, Skidmore; Horace S. Weaver, Burlington Junction; Isadore Tavel, Hopkins; B. W. Gafney, Clearmont; B. H. Brashier, Parnell.

TO ATTEND CLASS REUNION.

Craig Tinney of Wyacoda and Miss Myers of Bigelow Arrived Today.

Craig Tinney of Wyacoda, Mo., arrived in Maryville this morning to attend the class reunion of the January, 1917, graduating class of the Maryville High school. Another graduate of this class, Miss Fay Myers, will arrive from Bigelow this evening. Another member of the class, Miss Greta Kemp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp of this city, was operated on for appendicitis at the St. Francis hospital this morning. Her condition this afternoon was reported as favorable.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following couples:
Charles Van Yardley...Clarinda, Ia.
Georgia A. Rinehart...Maryville
William R. Sperry...Maryville
Hattie Bosley...Maryville
James Thomas Schoonover...Pickering
Lula Lynch...Arkoe

Don't fail to see Angell's Comedians and their feature orchestra tonight. "The Name on the Slate." Something to laugh at.

Back From Western Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Gwinn and daughter, Miss Mary Edna Gwinn, have returned from a six weeks trip to Wyoming and Colorado.

Tonight Angell's Comedians in the big waterproof tent theatre.

Wrights Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wright and family entertained at dinner at their home Saturday evening. Their guests were: Mrs. Kate Bartman of Parnell and Dr. D. W. Humphrey of Tulsa, Okla., a first lieutenant in the medical corps.

Miss Houston Weds.

Announcement has been received here of the marriage Monday, Sept. 10, in Nebraska City, Neb., of Miss Helen Houston and Lieutenant Philip Rouse of Peru, Neb. Mrs. Rouse, who is a niece of Mrs. G. A. Nash, has frequently visited in Maryville.

At Hotel Bainum.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Phares entertained at dinner yesterday at the Hotel Bainum for the following: Mr. and Mrs. Fay Bellows and son, Donald, and daughter, Mary Jane, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Chandler and daughters, Katherine and Marie.

CROWDS ARE COMING

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charge of the plans for the barbecue, the packing plant was visited and the beets that will be killed were inspected. From now until the meat is served a special guard will be on duty to see that it reaches the tables in a pure and wholesome state. As Wednesday is a fast day for Catholics it is announced that for those of that faith, who come to the barbecue, fish will be served instead of beef.

The Harmony Shorthorn circle has given a fine young Shorthorn to be barbecued on Wednesday, supplementing the number already secured by the provision committee. Chas. Moore brought the animal to Maryville this morning and delivered it for preparation for the barbecue.

The reserved area for the barbecue will include Main street from the New Linville hotel on the south to Wray's Garage on the north. The street within these boundaries will be roped off and no traffic will be permitted on it during the entire day. The tables will occupy the center of the street so designated.

The committees for the big barbecue include: General Committee on Arrangements: C. W. Yehle, W. C. Pearson, G. R. Ellison, C. C. Hellmers, F. G. Shoemaker; Finance: H. C. Todd, W. C. Phares, J. B. Price, F. P. Reullard, H. L. Raines, George B. Baker; Publicity: H. L. Haines, Albert Kuchs, Ed Keck; Service: Cleav Funk, Fay Bellows, Grant Gann, F. C. Wallis; Preparation: R. P. Hosmer, Martin Borrusch; Invitation: Dan R. Baker, Fred Yeomans, J. K. Sawyers, Comfort, Albert Kuchs, C. C. Hellmers, F. G. Shoemaker.

WANTED—25 young people to join Ukulele class now forming. Learn in four or five lessons. Alma Nash, 319 West Thompson. 17-19*

Several German Papers Suspended. Special to The Democrat-Forum.

The Hague, Sept. 17.—A number of German newspapers have been suspended for failing to support the Government in the Luxemburg incident, Berlin dispatches stated.

AUTO REPAIRS

First-class work guaranteed. Good mechanic—Prompt service—Mag-neto and battery service.

IRBY & WHITNEY
at Wray's Garage



Society Brand Clothes

ONLY about one of every twenty young men who have registered will be conscripted this year. The other nineteen and the vast numbers of men from 32 and up would delight in wearing Society Brand Clothes if they really knew them.

Whether your personal preference dictates conservative styles or inclines toward the more informal fashions, there's a Society Brand suit and overcoat to conform to your desires.

Deft style touches by famous designers, skilled fingers of master workmen and the world's finest fabrics go to make up these—your clothes.

We've made full provision for all apparel needs and desires—things you'll find both pleasing and satisfying. Come now while lines are complete.

Corwin-Murrin Clo. Co.

"STYLE HEADQUARTERS"—The Store That Sells Society Brand Clothes.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS
THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.
Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.
Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

I WILL SELL worth the money and on terms, all of my property in Maryville. 7-room house, all modern, 418 East First; also 5-room house and barn on East First, 4-room house on South Vine, 2 vacant lots on North Mulberry. All this property will be sold on good terms and worth the money as I am going to change location. See Ed Otis at Otis & Strong's office. 17-22

FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR RENT—6 room house, modern except heat. J. D. Dickerson or Hartness & Sons.

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT—6 large rooms; empty Sept. 1. Choice building lots for sale. See J. T. Hays, Hanam 525. 21*

FOR SALE—2 modern residence properties. Small cash payments and the balance on monthly payments of \$20.00 on one property and \$30.00 per month on the other. Both well located. S. H. KEMP. 6-1*

FOR SALE—Hedge posts, 4 to 6-in. top; 7 to 8 ft. long. Call Farmers phone 225. 17-19*

FOR SALE—Kalamazoo hard coal burner, almost new. Mrs. C. H. Wade, 613 West Second. 17-19*

FOR SALE—Good turkey red seed wheat, \$2 bushel. Phone Charley McClurg, Pickering. 15-18*

FOR SALE—100 ewes, in lots to suit. C. C. Carr, Route 7, Farmers phone, through Arkoe. 15-21*

FOR SALE—One lot, 7-room house, barn, city water, close in. Inquire of Mrs. G. M. Campbell, 216 East 6th. 15-28

FOR SALE—McCormick corn binder, in good condition. Gordon A. Fite, Farmers phone 50-17. 17-1*

FOR SALE—One of the choicest 40-acre tracts, without improvements, in Nodaway county, near Maryville. John Hansen. 14-17

FOR SALE—Phaeton, single horse, in good condition. Can be seen at premises, West Third street or at southwest corner Court House Square, Saturday, September 22, where it will be exposed for sale. N. Sisson, owner. 17-21

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Large, modern newly furnished rooms. Mrs. Thomas Farrell, 221 South Main. 15-18

FOR RENT—7 room house, 216 S. Market; 4 room cottage, 813 North Buchanan. See Dr. K. R. Malotte. 10-1*

FOR RENT—8-room house, modern except water; good cistern well at door. Located on South Main street at end of White Way. Inquire 309 West Second. 17-19

FOR RENT—Two properties, one on South Main, other on East First, across from fair grounds. See A. C. Gann, East Fourth street. 15-18*

MISCELLANEOUS

HAIRCUTS 25c, expect Saturdays. Bath 15c at Protzman's Shop, under Montgomery's Shoe store. 17-19*

NOTICE—No package delivery made for less than 15c. Tilson's Garage. 17-19

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Han. 46.

LOST

LOST—Three \$5 bills between L. R. Holt's and Mutual Telephone office, Saturday afternoon. Reward. James E. Moore, 616 So. Fillmore. 17-19*

LOST—A string of pearl beads in or near Alderman-Yelle Dry Goods store. Return to this office. 14-17

WANTED

WANTED—Woman to wash dishes. Edwards'. 17-19

WANTED—Dishwasher at the New Linville Hotel. 17-19